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GOVERNMENT OF TRIPURA
OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE & COLLECTOR
WEST TRIPURA DISTRICT : AGARTALA

No.F.4(11)/DM/W/JDL/Vol-IV/2013/7644-57

Dated, Agartala, the 23rd July, 2021.

ORDER UNDER SECTION 144 CR.PC

Whereas, Corona day curfew upto 6 P.M. of 23rd July, 2021 and Corona night curfew upto 5 AM of 24th July, 2021 with specific restrictions were imposed vide this office Order No.F.4(11)/DM/W/JDL/Vol-IV/2013/7429-42 dated, 16th July, 2021;

AND

Whereas, the Chief Secretary, Government of Tripura vide his order No.F.12(8)-REV/Corona Curfew/2021, dated 23rd July, 2021 has intimated that the situation has been reviewed in detail by the State Government and it is felt necessary by the State Government to extend Corona day curfew/Corona night curfew & Weekend Curfew in the areas of Agartala Municipal Corporation(AMC), Ranirbazar Municipal Council and Mohanpur Municipal Council in order to contain the spread of COVID- 19 pandemic;

Now, therefore, I, **Shri Debapriya Bardhan**, IAS, District Magistrate & Collector, West Tripura in exercise of the powers conferred upon me under section 144 Cr. P.C, 1973 do hereby order the enforcement of the following prohibitory measures:

- A. Imposition of Weekend Curfew from 5 AM on 24th July, 2021 to 6 AM 26th July, 2021 throughout the West Tripura District.
- B. Corona night curfew are Imposed throughout the West Tripura District w.e.f. 6 PM to 5 AM from 26th July, 2021 to 1st August, 2021.
- C. Imposition of Corona day curfew w.e.f. 2 PM to 6 PM from 26th July, 2021 to 31st July, 2021 in the areas of Agartala Municipal Corporation(AMC), Ranirbazar Municipal Council and Mohanpur Municipal Council.
- D. During the Weekend Curfew all restrictions mentioned at section E shall be imposed without relaxation. However, essential shops dealing with medicines, fruits and vegetables, dairy and milk booths, meat, fish & egg, animal fodder including ration shops are exempted, subject to maintaining aggressive COVID appropriate behaviour (number of persons allowed inside the shops will be not more than one person per 36 sq. ft. of indoor area including shop owners and their service personnel).
- E. Following CORONA restrictions shall be in force throughout the District (including outside Corona curfew areas) during CORONA day curfew and weekend curfew:

1. Vehicles other than government vehicles will be allowed to ply only from 5 AM to 5 PM for essential needs. However, this restriction shall not apply to vehicles used for medical needs and all essential services even after 5 PM.
2. All types of super spreading events and gathering like social/ political/ entertainment/ religious/ academic/cultural/ fair/ festival related congregation will remain ceased at all times. No meeting/ gathering at any open or closed spaces will be allowed except essential government meeting with up to 50 participants depending of the size of the meeting halls (upto a maximum of 30% of capacity) by maintaining aggressive COVID appropriate behaviour to contain spread of COVID-19 virus. Video recording shall be done for any such events to ensure that restrictions were maintained.
3. Movie halls/multiplexes, shopping complex/Malls/Gymnasium/ Swimming pool, Beauty parlours, Barber shops, sports complexes & stadia, Entertainment parks, Bars and Auditoriums, Assembly halls and similar places will remain closed at all times.
4. All stand alone shops and commercial establishments shall remain open only from 5 AM to 5 PM. Shop owners will ensure social distancing among customers, wearing of masks among customers. Shopping malls and market complexes will remain closed at all times. Bazaar committees should deploy volunteers to ensure social distancing. Medicines shops shall remain open at all times.
5. Restaurants/dhabas will operate only up to 5 PM. Restaurant in hotels will operate up to 5 PM for outside guests. In-house guests will avail services at all times. Number of persons allowed inside the Restaurant/dhabas will be not more than one person per 36 sq. ft. of indoor area including shop owners and their service personnel.

6. All Government and non-government offices shall operate at 50% attendance. Staggered timing shall be followed for staff that attends office. 10 am – 4 pm, 10.30 am – 4.30 pm and 11 am – 5 pm to ease out congestion on the transport system. The aggressive COVID appropriate behaviour has to be followed by officials and staff of all categories.
7. **No movement of persons shall be allowed during weekend curfew other than for essential requirements.** On other days, people should strictly avoid unnecessary movement outside home or workplace. In case of need, movement may be allowed by following aggressive COVID appropriate behaviour. All persons other than family members (not as a member of a family) shall maintain strictly 6 feet (2 Yards X 2 Yards) distance from each other on roads and other public places at all times. Only family members are exempted (they can walk on road and other places together).
8. Marriage functions will be allowed with presence of maximum 50 persons following aggressive COVID appropriate behaviour.
9. Funeral/ last rites shall not contain more than 20 persons.
10. All religious places shall remain closed for public. However, the religious head of a religious place or his representative may perform regular religious rituals/prayers maintaining aggressive COVID appropriate behaviour.
11. Wearing of face cover is compulsory in public places, in all work places and during transport.

F. Exemptions/Allowed activities throughout the state are at Annexure- A.

Any person violating these prohibitory measures shall be liable to be prosecuted under provisions of **Section 51 to 60 of Disaster Management Act, 2005, Section 188 of IPC** and other legal provisions in force.

In view of the emergent nature of situation and with a view to ensure public health & safety this order is passed ex-parte & is addressed to public in general.

The Superintendent of Police, West Tripura shall take necessary measure to strictly enforce the above order.

Wide publicity of the order shall be made by the Director, ICA, Government of Tripura through electronic media & local daily newspapers.

The Municipal Commissioner, AMC & the Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Sadar, Jirania, Mohanpur under West Tripura District shall ensure the publicity of this order through miking in their respective jurisdictions.

Given under my hand and seal on 23rd July, 2021.


(**Debapriya Bardhan, IAS**)
District Magistrate & Collector,
West Tripura District

Annexure - A

Exemptions/Allowed activities throughout the District:

1. All training programmes by following aggressive COVID appropriate behaviour shall continue by all departments and all training institutions/ training centres of the District shall function normally for proper conduct of training etc. maintaining 6 feet (2 yards X 2 yards) distance within each other.
2. Movement of persons and vehicles of all government and non government offices carrying ID card. Individuals' movement necessary for work or other emergencies is allowed subject to social distancing related restrictions imposed.
3. There shall be no curbs on movement of goods including petroleum products, empty goods vehicles and loading/unloading thereof.
4. Movement of persons & vehicles related to Telecommunication, internet services, broadcasting and cable services, IT & IT enable services.
5. Movement of persons and vehicles related to delivery services of all essential goods including food, Pharmaceutical, medical equipments etc. through e-commerce.
6. Movement of persons and vehicles related to Petrol pumps, LPG, CNG, Petroleum and Gas retail and storage outlets.
7. Movement of employees engaged in industries/companies requiring operation 24 x 7 and multiple shifts and those producing essential goods shall be allowed to production of valid ID card issued by their respective Organization/Institutions.
8. Movement of persons and vehicles related to Bank and ATM, RBI, Insurance, NIC, Customs and Land Port and other Financial Institutions.
9. Movement of employees and personnel engaged in Airport/Railway operations and cargo service.
10. Movement of persons engaged in Postal & Courier services.
11. Movement of persons related to carrying of seed, fertilizer, pesticides, agricultural implements & repairing thereof.
12. Movement of persons and vehicles carrying goods from FCI and other Outlets controlled by FCS & CA Department.
13. Movement of patients & attendants for getting medical services.
14. Movement of Electronic and Print media persons and government employees handling media issues on production of valid documents.
15. Tea gardens will function maintaining aggressive COVID appropriate behavior. Vehicles carrying green tea leaves will be allowed.
16. Home delivery from Hotels, Restaurants and other eateries will be allowed.
17. Delivery of essential goods through e-Commerce will continue maintaining aggressive COVID appropriate behavior.
18. All establishments dealing with gas production, power generation, cold storage and warehouse.
19. Private security services.
20. Hotels will operate including take home and food delivery services.
21. Persons going for COVID vaccination.
22. Persons engaged in essential services like plumbing, electrician, mechanic, repair of household equipments etc.
23. Any other exemption to be allowed by the undersigned.
24. Works under MGNREGAS will continue after strictly maintaining aggressive COVID appropriate behavior.
25. Agricultural/Fisheries/Horticulture/Forestry/ ARDD & Rubber tapping activities will continue in rural areas after maintaining social distance and wearing face masks.
26. Vehicles carrying milk will be allowed during curfew period at all times. All goods carrying vehicles are already allowed in the order.
27. Construction and project works will be exempted during curfew periods.